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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

This paper is in response to the Office Action dated September 2, 2010 and is filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination. A Notice of Appeal was filed on March 2, 2011, setting a two month period for response. A petition for an extension of time from May 2, 2011 to June 2, 2011, and the fee due under 37 CFR §1.17(a)(1) for a small entity are submitted herewith. Please enter the following amendments and remarks into the record.

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Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.